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Book Review:

Copeland, Bostick, Patton, and Allied Families

Including Martin, Clement, Thompson, and Cobb

by Virginia Copeland Jantz, 1981, Waco, Texas. Hardcover, typeset, library binding, 6" x 9", 430 pages. Order from: Virginia Copeland Jantz, Route 1, Box 1453, Waco, Texas 76710. $25.00, postage paid. Every name index.

Thirty-four pages of this book deal with the descendants of William Martin, brother of General Joseph Martin, son of Joseph Martin and Susanna Chiles. To my knowledge this is the first time William Martin's descendants have been sufficiently documented. This book corrects Lucy Henderson Horton's 1922 book and expands the lineage published in the Martin Family Quarterly, Volume IV, #3, page 62.

William Martin was born ca. 1738 and his will was made 9 Jan. 1808, proved at March term, 1808, Stokes Co., NC. This will names wife, Rachel, and children, Nancy Fulkeson, Sarah Hughes, Susanna Childes Martin, Jincy Clark, Polley Moore, William Martin and Samuel Martin. Witnesses were Peter Scales, Richard Mills and Joseph Scales.

The best evidence indicates William Martin was born in Caroline Co., VA. He married Rachel Dalton and resided in the Snow Creek area of Stokes Co., NC. Rachel Dalton Martin was born ca. 1746, Louisa Co., VA and died in 1836. Thorough documentation is given on descendants of William and Rachel Martin in Henry and Patrick Co., VA; Stokes Co., NC; Boone and Audrain Cos., MO; Bedford, Stewart, Williamson, and Rutherford Cos., Tenn. This is a scholarly work with all facts footnoted.

William and Rachel Martin's youngest child, Samuel Martin, was the only one who left descendants having the Martin surname. The seven children were:

(1) Ann "Nancy" Martin, b. ca. 1770/1, Pittsylvania Co., VA, m. James Fulkerson ca. 1788. James Fulkerson, of Patrick Co., VA, was b. 27 Sept. 1771, son of Frederick Fulkerson, will made 10 April 1839, proved July 1844, Patrick Co., VA. Children were Rachel m. Joseph Gray; Peter; Joseph; Frederick m. Mary Rea; Sarah "Sally" m. George Carter; Susannah m. Thomas Flynt; Virginia m. Benjamin Frazier; Nancy m. Samuel Doyle; James W. m. Elizabeth Hutchins; and Mildred Fulkerson m. Samuel Flippen.

(2) Susanna Chiles Martin, b. ca. 1772/3, m. 26 June 1809 to Reuben Moore, Stokes Co., NC. Susanna Martin was Reuben Moore's second wife. He had been married before to Mary Ann Edwards and had 8 children. Reuben Moore, son of Matthew Moore and Letitia Dalton, made his will 20 April 1817, proved June term, 1817, Stokes Co., NC. Reuben and Susanna Moore had no children. Susanna Martin Moore's will was made 21 Jan.

1845, codicil, 3 April 1850, proved March 1857, Stokes Co., NC. Her will names nieces and nephews and sister, Virginia Sawyer, and brother, Samuel Martin, both of Tenn.

(3) Virginia "Jincy" Martin, b. 29 Jan. 1776, d. 8 Aug. 1849, Williamson Co., Tenn., m. 7 Feb. 1799 to Samuel Clark, b. 6 Sept. 1772, Pittsylvania Co., VA, d. 16 Sept. 1806, Williamson Co., Tenn. Virginia Martin Clark married second to Sampson Sawyer on 13 Dec. 1809, Williamson Co., Tenn. Children were: Sarah "Sally" Clark m. Gen. John Sumner Russwurm; Martin Clark m. Charity Ann Horn Battle; Samuel Clark; and William Clark.

(4) Sarah "Sally" Martin, b. 1777, d. 10 Sept. 1842, Williamson Co., Tenn., m. 7 Feb. 1798 to John Hughes, Stokes Co., NC. He was b. 3 Aug. 1776, son of Archelaus Hughes and Mary Dalton, d. 26 Dec. 1860, Williamson Co., Tenn. Children: Archelaus Powell, William Madison, John Fulkerson, Leander, Dr. Brice Martin, Samuel Carter, Albert Gallatin, Mary Matilda and Rachel Jane Hughes. [See Martin Family Quarterly, Vol. IV, #3, pages 77-78]

(5) Mary "Polly" Martin, b. 28 Oct. 1780, d. 18 June 1839, probably Stokes Co., NC, m. 3 Jan. 1805, Stokes Co., NC to William Moore, son of Matthew Moore and Letitia Dalton. Children: Virginia m. John Banner; Letitia m. Pryor Tatum; Susanna Chiles; Nancy Redd m. William Boyles & Samuel Moore Hughes; Matthew Chiles m. Mary Ann McHenry; Rachel Ann m. W. M. Cardwell & Samuel Moore; William Martin m. Nancy B. Lyon and Elizabeth B. Martin; Mary Eliza m. Elisha Banner; and Sarah P. Moore m. Edwin H. Banner.

(6) William "Buck" Martin, b. Aug. 1782, died 28 Sept. 1843, Rural Plains, Tenn. He was a captain in the War of 1812 and later a general. No marriage or children are known. He moved to Williamson Co., Tenn. about 1805.

(7) Samuel Martin, b. ca. 1785, Surry Co., NC, d. 1855, Williamson Co., Tenn., m. 10 Jan. 1811 to Sarah "Sally" Clement in Stokes Co., NC. Sally Clement was the dau. of William Clement and Mary Depriest of Campbell Co., VA. Children: William C. Martin m. Eliza H. Davis; Mary Virginia Martin, b. 7 Sept. 1815, Stokes Co., NC, d. 31 March 1900, Waco, Texas, m. 24 Dec. 1835, Williamson Co., Tenn. to Samuel Meredith Copeland, b. 17 Feb. 1813, Newberry Dist., SC, d. 6 Jan. 1869, Williamson Co., Tenn. He was the son of James Copeland and Mary Frost; Joseph A. Martin; Samuel C. Martin; Benjamin Franklin Martin; and Brice Martin m. Jane D. Alston.

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Other families in the book are:

Descendants of James Copeland, b. 1773/4, Ireland, signed citizenship petition at Newberry Dist., SC in 1811 saying he had lived in Newberry Dist. for 22 years. James Copeland married Mary Frost and died 9 May 1819, Williamson Co., Tenn.

Bostick - William Bostick made his will 30 Dec. 1739, proved 7 June 1740, Goochland Co., VA. Descendants of his children Charles, John, William and Mary Francis.

Descendants of immigrant, Robert Patton who died before 6 May 1772, Rowan Co., NC, m. Charity.

William Clement, b. ca. 1675, VA, d. 1760, Amelia Co., VA, m. Ann ____.

Descendants of Robert Thompson, b. ca. 1720, d. 1771, Battle of Alamance, m. Letitia who married second to Jacob Sitler, 1774, Guilford Co., NC.

Descendants of Joseph Cobb who d. 1654, Isle of Wight Co., VA, m. Elizabeth Flinton.

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Corrections to DAR Patriot Index Vol. I

The Martin patriots are on pages 440-441. The last Martin on page 441 is William Peters Martin. William Martin who married Rachel Dalton did not have the middle name Peters.

William Peters Martin married Elizabeth Pendleton, dau. of John Pendleton of King & Queen Co., VA. William Peters Martin was the son of John Martin who died 1756, King William Co., VA, and Elizabeth. See deed in Virginia Magazine of History & Biography, Vol. 59, page 4. On 6 Dec. 1770 Elizabeth Martin, widow & William Peters Martin, Gent. and Elizabeth his wife, all of King William Co. to Benjamin Waller of Williamsburg, Esq...said land devised by John Martin, Gent., decd. to said Elizabeth Martin during her widowhood and afterwards to his son the said William Peters Martin...Recorded King Wm. Co. Court 20 Dec. 1770 (original deed in Waller family papers).

Page 440: John Martin, b. 1756, d. 5 April 1823, m. Nancy Shipp, Lt. NH W, pensioned. John Martin did not serve from NH; he served from NC. John Martin served with Thomas Shipp in Capt. Joseph Cloud and Joseph Winston's Company in NC. See pension abstract of Nancy Martin in the Martin Family Quarterly, Vol. VI, #3, page 66.

In the DAR Patriot Index a star was placed after each soldier who received a pension for Revolutionary service. A W with star follows entries where the widow was pensioned. The following entries should have a star:

Ephraim Martin, b. 2-2-1745 d. 8-8-1823 m (1) Mary Burnham (2) Jerusha ___ Sgt CT [pension #S40978]
William Martin Jr., b. 12-15-1754 d. 4-4-1820 m Hannah Chapman Pvt PA [pensioned]

The following entries in DAR Patriot Index Vol. I, pages 440-441 should have a W and a star (widow pensioned):

George Martin: b 6-4-1754 d 1821 m. Alice Freeman Capt SC [pension #W24132]
John Martin: b c.1750 d m Lydia McKenney Drm MA [pension of widow, #W24135 proved soldier d. 23 May 1830/1]
Josiah Martin: b 2- -1757 d 9-17-1835 m Mary McClary Lt NC [pension #W1047]
Luther Martin: b 1-20-1752 d 8-10-1799 m Elizabeth Humphreys Ens CT [pension #W27447]
Martin Martin: b 1755 d 2-24-1837 m Dicy Hicks Pvt SC [pension #W9170]
Nathan Martin: b 6-28-1760 d 6-2-1812 m Martha (Holt) Clark Pvt CT [pension #W26239]
Peter Martin: b 2-22-1759 d 6-23-1820 m Hannah Dean Pvt MA [pension #W26236]
Reuben Martin: b 6-22-1765 d 2-14-1836 m Sally Minor Sol CT [pension #W1906]
William Martin: b 10-10-1763 d 8-21-1851 m (1) Susan Stout (2) Jane Powers PS NJ [pension #W9937]

The following entries in the DAR Patriot Index Vol. I, pages 440-441 are soldiers (or widows) who made application for pension, but the pension was rejected. These soldiers do have accepted Revolutionary service for DAR.

Adam Martin: b 9-28-1755 d 4-14-1835 m Mary McMillin Sol VA [R6961]
Anthony Martin: b 4-21-1760 d 2-14-1840 m Susanna Allen Pvt RI [R6972]
Benjamin Martin: b 7-8-1758 d 9-20-1838 m Nancy Kemper Sgt VA [R6965]
Joseph Martin: b c.1758 d 1835 m Talitha Sol Spy VA [R6957]
Moses Martin: b 8-4-1763 d 5-30-1850 m Anna Parker Pvt MA [R6964]
Obediah Martin: b c.1761 d c.1826 m Winneford Cook Sol NC [R6976]

Louis Daniel Martin: b c.1745 d 10- -1815 m Sarah Wallace Capt SC had a bounty land warrant filed with the Revolutionary pension applications at the National Archives which proves his service as a captain from SC.

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Abstracts of all Martin Revolutionary pension applications were published in Vol. VI of the Martin Family Quarterly.

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1838
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1835
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Culpeper County, Virginia

Culpeper County was created in 1748 when Orange County was divided and all land north of the Rappahannock and Conway rivers became Culpeper. Orange County was formed in 1734 when Spotsylvania Co. was divided. St. George's Parish remained in Spotsylvania Co. and St. Mark's Parish was formed in Orange Co. Spotsylvania Co. was formed in 1721 from Essex, King and Queen and King William Counties; Caroline Co. formed 1727 from the heads of Essex, King and Queen and King William Counties. Culpeper County was divided in 1793 to form Madison Co., VA. Culpeper was divided again in 1833 when Rappahannock Co. was formed.

CULPEPER COUNTY, VIRGINIA PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX LISTS

Courtesy of Dr. Donald J. Martin

1782	John C. Cocke, Gent. list	
	Peter Martin	1 white tithable over 16, 0 slaves, 1 horse, 4 cows
1783	Wm. McClanahan, Gent. list	
	Blackley Martin	1 white tithable over 21, 0 slaves over 16, 2 horses, 7 cattle
1784	James Browning, Gent. list	
	Blackey Martin	1 white tithable over 21, 0 whites under 21, 1 horse, 3 cattle
1785	X	
1786	James Pendleton list	
	James Martin	1 white over 21, 1 horse
1787	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 white over 21, 1 horse, 2 cattle
	Goodrich Lightfoot list	X
	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 white over 21, 1 horse
1788	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
	Peter Martin	2 tithes, 3 horses
	(other lists missing)	
1789	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
	(no Martins in other two lists)	
1790	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 tithe
	William Martin	1 tithe
	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
	(other list 1789 and 1790 John Gibbs - 1791, 1792, no Martin names)	
1791	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
	William Martin	1 tithe

1791	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
1792	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 tithe over 21, 1 negro over 16, 1 horse
	William Martin	1 tithe over 21
	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
	(from here on - only 2 lists remaining in county)	
1793	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
1794	Daniel Brown list	X
	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 1 horse
1795	X	
1796	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1 tithe, 2 horses
1797	Daniel Brown list	
	John Martin	1 tithe
	Aaron Lane list	
	James Martin	1-1-0-2
	Benjamin Martin	1-0-1-1
	William Martin	1-1-0-1
1798	Daniel Brown list	
	John Masten(?)	1 (John Masten also in 1799 list, but not in 1800 list)
	Aaron Lane list	
	William Martin	1 tithe, 0 older negroes, 1 young negro, 2 horses
	James Martin	1-1-0-2
1799	Aaron Lane list	
	Benjamin Martin	1-1-0-1
	James Martin	1-1-0-3
	Benjamin Marten	1-1-0-1
1800	Aaron Lane list	
	Benjamin Martin	1-1-0-2
	James Martin	1-1-0-2

CULPEPER COUNTY, VIRGINIA LAND TAX LISTS
1782-1800

Notice that the landowners were not residents of Culpeper Co. or were exempt from paying personal property taxes.

1782-1786	X	
1787	Aaron Lane list	Henry Martin, 400 acres
	(nothing in other two lists)	
1788	Aaron Lane list	Henry Martin, 400 acres
	John Hume dist.	Thomas Bryant Martin, 400 acres

1789	Aaron Lane list	Henry Martin, 400 acres
	John Hume list	Thomas Bryant Martin, 400 acres
1790	Aaron Lane list	Henry Martin, 400 acres
1791	Aaron Lane list	Henry Martin, 400 acres
1792	Aaron Lane list	Henry Martin, 154 acres
	John Hume list	Thomas Bryant Martin, 400 acres
1793-1798		Henry Martin, 154 acres
1799-1800		cannot be read

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Bible Record

The Holy Bible containing the Old and New Testaments, translated out of The Original Tongues, and with the former Translations diligently compared and revised. New York: American Bible Society, Instituted in the year MDCCCXVI. Date of Bible - 1854. At the top of the title page is written - Samuel and Liza Martin.

This Bible record was sent by Imogene Oliver Hoffman, 102 Begonia, Lake Jackson, Texas 77566. The Bible is in the possession of Maxine Andrews, Rt. 1, 11308 Elm Drive, Hernando, Miss. 38632 and was sent to Imogene Hoffman by Maxine Andrews' daughter, Margaret Perry, 4435 Wooddale, #2, Memphis, Tenn. 38118. Imogene Hoffman and Maxine Andrews are gg granddaughters of Samuel and Eliza Jane (Weldon) Martin.

The ink has bled through from one page to another; parts of some words are faded or have blurred ink and are very difficult to read.

Family Record

Liser Jane Weldon was bornd July the 7th 1837
Samuel Martin was born July 24th 1834
Liser Jane Weldon & Samuel Martin was married the 3rd day of August,1854
Henry Benjamin Martin was bornd Oct the 2, 1855
Toliver Hison Martin was born January the 17th 18(edge of page gone)
Samuel Wilborn Martin was Bornd October the 12th 1860
Georgia Anner Zilpha Jane Martin was borned in the year 1863 Feb 4th
William Jerry(?) Martin was borned March 8th 1865
Shug Martin was borned Oct 3 th 1867
Joseph Frankling Martin was borned Sept 11th 1868
Louis Fountin Martin was bornd Oct 8 1870
Cary Idorah Martin was borned June 30th 1872
Newton Claudius Martin was borned June 7th 1874
Shug Martin Departed this life Oct 6th 1867

On the inside back cover of the Bible there is a statement by Samuel Martin concerning the Civil War. His feelings - not clearly legible - were that the deaths of those it claimed should be "avenged."

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Notes from Imogene Hoffman concerning Samuel Martin's family:

Samuel Martin died 13 July 1909, Bowie Co., Texas. Liza Jane Martin died 5 Feb. 1906, Bowie Co., Texas. Henry Benjamin Martin died 10 July 1900. His gravestone gives his birthdate as Oct. 28, 1855. Even though the Bible record has Oct. 2, the day was written at the edge of the page which was slightly torn. The date in the Bible probably said Oct. 28 originally. Toliver Hison Martin's gravestone reads 1859-1927, but his death certificate states he was born 1856, the 1900 census says 1858. Georgia Anner Zilpha Jane Martin died 26 Sept. 1935. Joseph Frankling Martin died 10 Sept. 1902. All of these deaths occurred in Bowie Co., Texas.

Census records show Samuel Martin was born in SC and he was listed on the 1850 census of Anderson Co., SC with his parents. Eliza Jane Weldon, who married Samuel Martin, was born 7 July 1837 in Franklin Co., GA and was listed on the 1850 census of that county with her parents. They married 3 Aug. 1854 in Hart Co., GA. They were still in that county in the 1860 and 1870 census records. They were in Franklin Co., GA in 1880. They had moved to Bowie Co., Texas by 1890 when Samuel Martin appeared on the tax list.

Samuel Martin (1837-1909) was the son of Samuel L. Martin, b. ca. 1796/7, SC, m. Abigale _____ before 1818. Samuel and Abigale are found on the 1850 census of Anderson Co., SC. Children: Mary Ann, Sarah, Jemima, Jeramiah, Samuel and Joseph Martin. Jeramiah, Samuel and Joseph Martin moved to Texas in the late 1800's. Their mother, Abigail Martin, died between 1850 and 1860, Anderson Co., SC or Hart Co., GA.

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Lunenburg Co., VA - Marriages 1746-1853

Martin, Robert (bond dated 4 Feb. 1752)	Cunningham, Sarah (spinster of Lunenburg Co.)	10 Feb. 1752
James Read and William Wright, sureties		
Martin, Nancy (by Garner McConnico)	Crafton, Richard	26 Sep. 1799
see Lunenburg Co. Will Book 4, p. 261		
Martin, Robert	Hudson, Sarah E.	21 Aug. 1841
Ethelbert J. Hudson, surety		

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Buckingham Co., VA

Buckingham County was created in 1761 when Albemarle County was divided to form Buckingham and Amherst Counties. All of Albemarle south of the Fluvanna (James) River became Buckingham Co. The only early Martin marriage surviving for Buckingham is: Joseph Martin to Magdalene Lutterel, spinster on 8 June 1787. Presley Lutterel was surety.

Dallas County, Texas

DEEDS, PROBATE, MARRIAGES AND NOTES

by Michal Martin Farmer

Deed Book "A" - no Martins

Deed Book "B"

page 621 - 31 May 1851 - Bennet H. Martin bought from Jefferson and Eliza Jane Tilley, all of Dallas Co. 160 acres three miles west of the north of town of Dallas in the Cedar Springs tract which was originally in the Crawford Grigsby survey. Wit: Andrew M. Moore, J. E. Martin and A. J. May. Proved 12 Nov. 1851.

page 633 - 19 Nov. 1851- Bennet H. Martin of Anderson Co., Texas mortgaged to Walling A. Rogers, administrator of the estate of Elisha Estes, decd. 160 acres, out of the San Jacinto Co. land of Crawford Grigsby survey purchased by S. G. Newton from the heirs of Grigsby and conveyed by Newton to Jefferson Tilley. "Martin has executed to said Rogers his six promissory notes due 6 May next with S. B. Pryor & C. G. Cole, sureties."

page 635 - 21 Nov. 1851- Bennet H. Martin from William Bruton

Deed Book "C"

page 188 - 12 June 1852- Sarah J. Cheshier, Nancy A. Flemming, Isabella Atteberry, Lydia A. Parks and Mary A. Rawlins appointed John M. Rawlins their agent. "Heirs of William Rawlins, Senr."
[Note: William Rawlins, Sr. was married to Euphamie Martin and dau., Mary A. Rawlins married 12 July 1855 to Samuel Martin in Dallas]

page 362 - 22 June 1852- B. H. Martin of Anderson Co., TX to Bennett G. Clark of Dallas Co., the "Jeff Tilley place." proved 19 Jan. 1853

page 369 - 15 Jan. 1853- Lent Martin to A. G. Walker

Deed Book "D"

page 57 - 12 Nov. 1853 - Jacob Martin of Dallas Co. bond from William Edmonson

Deed Book "E"

page 149 - 6 Oct. 1855 - William P. Martin from Daniel Cornwell

page 181 - 9 Nov. 1855 - William P. Martin and W. L. Murphy to W. W. Peak

page 595 - 21 Nov. 1855- William P. Martin & D. W. C. Smith to Peter Spaugburg

page 609 - 30 Dec. 1856- W. P. Martin and W. L. Murphy to Burrill Wilks

page 110 - 17 Aug. 1855- William P. Martin and William L. Murphy from Pleasant Taylor

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Deed Book "F"

page 8 - 21 Mar. 1857 - William P. Martin and DeWitt C. Smith to Wm. H. Keen

page 66 - 9 May 1856 - Wm. P. Martin and Wm. L. Murphy to John M. Crockett and George W. Guess

page 162 - 6 July 1853 - Warrick Martin of New Orleans, LA to Thomas Lincoln, land in Dallas Co. and Grayson Co., TX. Land was divided interest and set apart from land belonging to B. F. Hall of Kentucky by agreement 29 May 1849. Other names mentioned in deed were Thomas Toby, Elihugh Reynolds, John Bergen, Hiram Close, Daniel Lloyd, Mary Miller by James Morgan, Antonio Hernandez and Hezakiah Eakes.

page 179 - 28 Feb. 1857- W. P. Martin & W. W. Peak from Wormley Carter

page 213 - 9 Nov. 1857 - Samuel and Polly Ann A. Martin to H. M. Rawlins, originally patented to William Rawlins.

page 219 - 20 Nov. 1857- George W. Martin to James H. Holloway

page 318 - 4 Feb. 1858 - James W. Martin and Elizabeth Martin, his wife, of Allen Co., KY, heirs of Wm. P. Martin, decd. late of Dallas Co., TX (power of attorney) make W. L. Murphy their attorney to sell the personal property of Wm. P. Martin and also to sell his real estate.

page 541 - 25 Dec. 1855- Jacob Martin from Joshua and Katharine Jane McCants

1855- Jacob Martin of Dallas Co. from Henderson Couch of Tarrant Co., TX

19 Sep. 1857- Jacob Martin from O. W. Knight, attorney for Iddo A. and Nancy Cope

14 Dec. 1855- Jacob Martin from Wm. T. Edmondson

23 Dec. 1858- Jacob Martin and Susan, his wife, to Joseph Turner

Deed Book "G"

page 126 - 7 Sept. 1858- Jacob Martin from William T. Edmondson

page 172 - 16 Feb. 1859- John H. Martin & James M. Martin from Martin Pruitt

page 229 - 20 Sep. 1859- Samuel Martin from Joseph Brittain

page 286 - 27 June 1860- Newton Martin of Denton Co., TX to Johnathan Story of Dallas

page 384 - 21 June 1861- John W. Smith & W. L. Murphy attorney for James W. Martin & Eliza. of Dallas Co. to Nat M. Burford

page 452 - 5 Dec. 1860 - Samuel Martin and Mary A., his wife, to James P. Martin of Cooke Co., TX

page 453 - 17 Mar. 1862- James P. Martin & Melinda J. Martin of Dallas to H. W. Martin & Joel T. Martin of Dallas

page 489 - 17 Mar. 1862- H. W. Martin & Joel T. Martin from Jonathan Story

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Deed Book "G" (contd)
page 490 - 30 July 1862- Joel T. Martin to H. W. Martin
Deed Book "H"
page 191 - 17 Jan. 1860- James M. Martin and J. H. Martin of Dallas from Henry C. and Mary Basinger
page 513 - 24 Dec. 1860- James M. Martin and John H. Martin to Martin Riggs
page 662 - 5 Aug. 1859 - James M. and John H. Martin recover judgment from S. H. Miller
Deed Book "I"
page 52 - 21 Aug. 1860 - W. P. Martin from John W. Smith
page 108 - 10 Mar. 1862- A. W. Marton to Ferdinand Michel
page 115 - 16 Apr. 1862- John Merifield for love and affection to beloved granddaughter Mary Amanda Martin, daughter of my beloved Susan Amanda, deceased. A negro slave, Liz, 18 yrs. old, the same given by me to my beloved Susan Amanda. "It is conditioned that I am to keep the said negro, Liz, during my natural life and during the life of my beloved wife, Elizabeth." Test: A. H. Martin and Catharine Merifield.
[Note: Augustus H. Martin married Susan A. Merryfield, 19 May 1853, Dallas Co., TX]
page 271 - 7 Mar. 1863 - A. W. Martin from W. Caruth and brothers
page 524 - 26 Mar. 1864- John H. Martin from E. D. Bennett and Priscilla, his wife, and Mahala J. Scurlock.
page 518 - 17 Mar. 1864- Wm. P. Martin from John W. Smith
page 709 - 29 Sep. 1865- Henry Martin of Dallas Co. from Sarah Weatherford, late widow of Charles Neely, decd., Marion Neely and Margaret Weatherford, heirs of Charles Neely, decd., land in Coles Co., Ill. (land described in detail).
Deed Book "J"
page 277 - 20 June 1866- Nancy C. Martin from Absolem Potter and Lydia, his wife.
page 361 - May 1866 - H. W. Martin to John M. Rawlins. Susannah, was wife of H. W. Martin. Deed refers to Dallas Co. Deed Book "F" page 581.
page 637 - 23 Jan. 1867- Elizabeth Martin of Lewis Co., MO to M. Parish of Collin Co., TX, land in Dallas Co., TX.
Deed Book "K"
page 73 - 2 Oct. 1867 - Mrs. Susan Martin from Meritt C. Briscoe
page 619 - 28 Aug. 1868- E. J. T. Martin of Dallas to J. F. Pinson.
page 696 - 3 Dec. 1868 - E. J. T. Martin, admx. of estate of W. P. Martin, decd. to N. B. Anderson
Deed Book "L"
page 163 - 15 Mar. 1869- James L. and wife N. T. Martin to John B. Marton
page 202 - 17 July 1868- J. W. Marton and J. J. Steel from James and

Dallas County, Texas (contd)

Deed Book "L" (contd) Georgiana Ibisan of Sebastian Co., Ark. (title bond).
page 347 - Inventory of Nancy C. Martin and her late husband John H. Martin by N. E. Martin.
page 603 - 3 Dec. 1868 - Mrs. E. J. T. Martin, admrx. of Wm. P. Martin from N. B. Anderson. Deed refers to Deed Book "K" page 696-7.
Deed Book "M"
page 49 - 30 Sept. 1869- E. J. Martin to James O. Crutchfield
page 412 - 12 Apr. 1870- B. W. Martin to Amos W. Quayle

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Inventory Book "A" 1847-1852 - no Martins
Inventory Book "B" 1853-1858 - no Martins
Inventory Book "C" 1858-1867 - no Martins
Inventory Book "B" 1866-1876 - no Martins (second Book "B")
Inventory Book "D" 1867-1872 - E. J. T. Martin, admrx. of W. P. Martin, decd. Inventory and appraisement. Geo. B. Brown and James O. Crutchfield appraised estate 31 Oct. 1867.
Will Book A-B - no Martins

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ESTATE PACKETS

#416 - 3 Dec. 1868 - E. J. T. Martin, adm. of estate of Wm. P. Martin

#444 - Nov. term 1877- Estate of Elizabeth Martin. H. C. Martin made
Jan. term 1878- application for probate and recording of the will of James W. Martin, decd. and for probate and letters testamentary thereon of the will of Elizabeth Martin - Jan. term 1878. H. C. Martin was executor for the wills of James W. and Elizabeth Martin who died in Simpson Co., KY and the wills were probated in KY. Later document says will of Elizabeth Martin was probated at Allen Co., KY.
State of KY, Simpson Co., Nov. Term 1863:
Will of James W. Martin presented at Oct. term 1863 and proven by D. W. Smith and E. P. Gaines. Recorded Will Book "F" page 178. Will names wife, Elizabeth and son, H. C. Martin, executor. The will was made 14 Feb. 1863. Other children were mentioned, but not named. Test: E. P. Gaines, J. W. Gaines and D. W. Smith.
Will of Elizabeth Martin, widow of James W. Martin, was made 8 June 1877; she died Oct. 1877 at Simpson Co., KY. The will was proved at Nov. term, 1877, Allen Co., KY and filed in Dallas Co., TX on 26 Dec. 1877. Will recorded in Will Book "D" page 366, Allen Co., KY. H. C. Martin was executor. Proved by H. C. Martin and Robt. W. Smith. Named in the will is dau., S. P. Smith,

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wife of D. W. C. Smith. Other children are mentioned, but not named. Mentions home and lot in Scottsville, Allen Co., KY.

#452 - June 1871 & 14 Feb. 1872 - William A. Martin and James F. Martin are minor heirs of James F. Martin, late of Dallas Co., Texas, decd. E. D. or E. J. Smith appears to be the mother of the minor heirs and she applied to be their guardian in June 1871. Samuel Sloan and James P. Goodnight were sureties. The minors were entitled to cash from the estate of William Parker, decd., of Sumner Co., Tenn. They received cash from the William Parker estate on 14 Feb. 1872.

#1703 - 1893 Richard D. Martin died at age 79 years on 7 June 1893 in Dallas Co., TX. Jane Martin said his daughter was Mrs. Rebecca Murdock and his stepdaughter was Mrs. Emeline Flinn.

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DALLAS COUNTY, TX - MARRIAGES

1846-1877

by Dallas Genealogical Society

Martin, James	West, Clara A.	14 Apr. 1853
Augustus H.	Merryfield, Susan A.	19 May 1853
William H.	Wilburn, Louisa	25 Dec. 1853
Thomas B.	Langford, Sarah M.	20 July 1854
Rachel J.	Cook, Henry	29 Nov. 1853
Nelson N.	Clark, Emma	27 Oct. 1854
Samuel	Rawlins, Polly A.E.A.	12 July 1855
George W.	Harris, Rachael	22 Dec. 1856
Benjamin F.	Weems, Amanda	1 Apr. 1859
H. W.	Atterberry, Susannah	1 Sep. 1859
John H.	Fisher, Nancy C.	8 May 1861
G. B.	Booth, Ann J.	3 Mar. 1864
James W.	Boothe, Sarah A.	24 Apr. 1864
Sintha J. (Mrs.)	Williams, Seaborn	27 Apr. 1864
Martha	Hobbs, Lewis	17 Apr. 1867
E. J.	Smith, Thomas	26 Jan. 1868
N. C. (f)	Alexander, C. P.	16 Sep. 1869
Levi	Burgiss, L. A.	10 Feb. 1870
Thomas J.	Attebery, Annie	19 Oct. 1871
Alexander	Giles, Elizabeth	20 Apr. 1873
Mary A.	Crawford, Arch. M.	9 Dec. 1875
John	Hansen, Louisa	12 May 1876

S. N. Martin performed marriages in Dallas Co. 1861-1865; D. J. Martin performed marriages in 1876.

COOKE CO., TX - MARRIAGES 1853-1879

by Mrs. D. L. Sosebee

Martin, James	Neely, Euphamy	29 Sep. 1853
Martha J.	Mathews, Joseph	4 July 1853
Abagal	Smith, George M.	31 Aug. 1854
Richard N.	Neely, Cinthy J.	28 May 1856
Elizabeth	Kennedy, E. E.	17 Dec. 1856
Mathew A.	Bond, Sarah Catherine	31 Jan. 1858
James P.	Martin, Malinda Jane	9 Feb. 1858
Malic(?) C.	Livingston, Samuel(?)	23 Apr. 1858
James W.	Stephenson, Mary Elizabeth	17 July 1858
Marton, Elizabeth	Miller, Edward M.	14 Aug. 1859
Martin, Nancy Adaline	Vowell, Levi M.	28 Dec. 1859
Marton, Mary	Dawson, N. H.	23 Jan. 1860
Martin, William	Russell, Melvina	15 Mar. 1860
Silas C.	Coker, Mary Ann Elizabeth	1 June 1860
Mary Ann	Coker, Edward	30 June 1860
Euphamy	Dupuy, William	13 Feb. 1861
Henry	Heady, Nancy	19 Feb. 1861
Euphamy	Million, H. B.	7 Aug. 1862
Nancy	Tinney, W. S.	3 Mar. 1864
J. W.	Parsons, L. A.	8 Nov. 1865
Charles E.	Beckham, Margery S.	27 Mar. 1866
Louisa J.	White, Mark	27 July 1866
Francis J.	Sullivant, Thomas B.	30 Aug. 1867
Wm. P.	Dickson, Sarena	25 Aug. 1869
S. H.	McDonald, Josephine	13 Oct. 1869
J. R.	Routh, Tennie	3 Oct. 1872
James	Perry, Louisa	9 Sep. 1873
Wm. P.	Walker, Emily W.	17 Jan. 1874
Morton, D. G. H. (?)	Norton, Anna E.	17 June 1874
Martin, Nancy	O'Neal, Leonard C.	8 Oct. 1874
Wm. P.	Jennings, Rachel	24 Nov. 1874
James W.	Neely, Sarah A.	24 Dec. 1874
Morton, Sarah P.	Norton, E. H.	30 Sep. 1875
Jeneva A. M.	Lee, W. R.	28 Dec. 1875
Martin, Emily	Porter, George M.	2 July 1876
Alice	Mitchell, W. D.	27 Apr. 1877
Mollie	Baker, George	10 Jan. 1878
E. Fleta	Rider, James M.	19 Sep. 1878
E. E. [Emma]	McKinley, Lewis M.	18 Dec. 1878
W. B.	White, Julia	22 Jan. 1879
W. H.	Hobbs, Mary P.	22 Jan. 1879
J. W.	Hobbs, Mattie	4 June 1879

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THE MARTINS IN DALLAS AND COOKE COUNTIES, TEXAS WERE FROM KENTUCKY, VIRGINIA, ILLINOIS, TENNESSEE, MISSOURI, OHIO, NY

Bennett H. Martin was an attorney and an early judge in Dallas. He was born in Virginia ca. 1799 and died in Anderson Co., Texas in 1852. Bennett is found on the 1850 census of Collin Co. living with his sister, Virginia F. White, born ca. 1815 in Kentucky and another sister, L. S. Martin, born about 1810 in Virginia. His other sisters were Maria S. who married Charles W. Martin; Malinda Martin, born ca. 1798, Virginia, died 1884, Coleman Co., Texas; and Elizabeth Martin Doak, born ca. 1810, Virginia. For more information on Charles W. Martin see query of Joyce Martin Murray, Martin Family Quarterly, Vol. VII, #3, page 87.

Lent Martin, who sold land in Dallas Co. in 1853 to A. G. Walker, is found on the 1850 census of Dallas Co., age 78, born New York, and living with Ambrose R. Murry.

Richard D. Martin was born in 1814, Ohio, and died in Dallas Co. on 7 June 1893. He married Jane _____, born in 1814, New York. This couple is found on the 1850 and 1860 census records for Calhoun Co., Texas. Their children were Rebecca, born 1837, Ill., m. Murdock; Emily, born 1839, Ark.; Maryann, born 1841, Tenn.; Martha, born 1843, Tenn.; and Elizabeth, born 1848, Tenn. Richard's estate papers in Dallas say he also had a step-daughter, Emeline Flinn.

W. P. Martin came to Dallas Co. in 1859 after serving in the Mexican War and marrying Eliza Jane Brown in 1856. W. P. was born in 1823, Campbell Station, Knox Co., Tenn. and died 1865, Bowie Co., Texas near Lanesport, buried Dallas Co. He was the son of Samuel Martin, born 1781, Ireland, and Julia Reese, born 1795, Tenn., found on 1850 census of Knox Co., Tenn.

In Cooke Co. in 1860 were John S. and W. B. Martin and their families. These are sons of Moses Martin and Nancy Burrus of Cooper Co., Missouri. [See queries in back issues for Mary Racz].

Between 1845 and 1855 a large Martin family from Illinois descended on Dallas and Cooke Counties, Texas. The progenitor of these Martins was John Martin who was in Lincoln Co., KY by 1790 and later lived in Logan Co., KY in the Muddy River area. He was probably born ca. 1758 and married Sarah Isabelle Scott. John Martin and his children moved from Kentucky to Illinois about 1817 and lived in Crawford, Clark and Lawrence Counties, Ill. Later the families moved into Moultrie and Coles Co., Ill.

Mrs. J. O. Neely, 2502 Marvin Ave., Dallas, Texas 75211 has just completed the genealogy of this family and she will publish it this summer. Mrs. Neely has been researching the Martin and Neely families for many years and has proved most of the descendants of John Martin and Sarah Isabelle Scott. Following is an outline of this family:

John Martin married Sarah Scott about 1779 and he died about 1825 at the home of his son, James Scott Martin. John and Sarah Scott Martin had seven known children: (included here is a <u>partial</u> list of grandchildren)

i. James Scott Martin, b. ca. 1780/1, NC, died 26 March 1865, Moultrie Co., Ill., married 3 June 1802, Logan Co., KY to Jenny Feagley
   1. John Martin, b. 1802/3, married 2 May 1824, Clark Co., Ill. to Ann Neely, dau. of Charles Neely and Jane Martin.
   2. Joel F. Martin, b. 1806, KY, married Elizabeth Clemens, b. 1808, KY. They are found on the 1850 and 1860 census of Coles Co., Ill. Children: Samuel, Rachael, Louisa A., Lucy I., Reason C., John D., Levi, Thomas J., Polly A., Rebecca, Ruthie J. and Leureura M.
      Their son, Samuel Martin, died in Dallas Co., TX on 11 Jan. 1880. He married 12 July 1855, Dallas Co. to Mary Ann "Polly" Rawlins, b. 10 Jan. 1832, Greene Co., Ill., dau. of William Rawlins and Euphamia Martin
      Their son, Thomas J. Martin, married 1871, Dallas Co. to Annie Atteberry, dau. of Stephen Atteberry and Isabella Rawlins.
   3. James Frost Martin, b. 1808
   4. Euphamie Martin, b. 1817, Ill. or KY, married James Martin Neely, b. ca. 1810/14, died 1848, Cooke Co., TX. She married second to James Martin in 1853, Cooke Co., TX and is found on the 1860 census of Cooke Co., TX. Euphamie married third to William Dupuy in 1861, Cooke Co.
   5. Charles N. Martin, b. 1819, Ill., died 1857/60, Cooke Co., m. Euphamie, b. 1821/2, Ill. Charles N. Martin's family is found on the 1850 census of Coles Co., Ill. Between 1850 and 1855 they moved to Texas and his widow is found on the 1860 census of Cooke Co., TX with her children: Richard N., Malinda J., Thomas, James W., Samuel and Orrange. Richard N. Martin m. 1856, Cooke Co. to Cynthia Neely, dau. of Charles Neely and Jane Martin.

ii. Jane Martin, b. ca. 1780, married 23 Sept. 1797, Logan Co., KY to Charles Neely, b. ca. 1777, d. ca. 1825, Clark Co., Ill.
   1. Mary Neely married James D. Wilson
   2. Ann Neely married John Martin
   3. Isabel Neely married Samuel Clark
   4. Jane Neely married Thomas W. Martin
   5. Sarah T. Neely m. Daniel Cretsinger
   6. Charles Neely married Sarah Martin
   7. James Neely married Euphamy Martin
   8. Margaret "Peggy" Neely married Abram Lewis

iii. William Harvey Martin, b. 1782/3, KY, died ca. 1854, Moultrie Co., Ill., married first, 1800, Logan Co., KY to Susan Abigail Whitaker, married second, 13 Dec. 1821, Lawrence Co., Ill. to Cynthia Clark.
   1. James Martin, judge of Cooke Co., TX, m. Jane _____ and Euphamia Martin, widow of James Martin Neely
   2. Isabelle Martin married William Miller

3. Euphamie Martin married Charles N. Martin
4. John Martin married Suzanne _____.
5. Thomas W. Martin married Jane Neely
6. Sarah Martin, b. 1818, KY or Ill., married 12 June 1834, Coles Co., Ill. to Charles Neely who died 1846/50, Dallas Co., TX. Sarah married second, 4 March 1852, Dallas Co., TX, to Jefferson Weatherford, born ca. 1811, Tenn.

iv. Samuel Martin married Sarah Jane _____. He was b. ca. 1786.

v. Rezin Charles Martin married Polly Anna Clemens

vi. Euphamie Martin, b. ca. 1797, married William Rawlins. They moved to Dallas Co., TX in 1846. Deed Book "C", pages 362-3 and 369-70 concern William Rawlins' estate. Sarah J. Cheshier, Nancy A. Flemming, Isabella, Atteberry, Lydia A. Parks and Mary A. Rawlins, heirs of William Rawlins, Senr. appointed John M. Rawlins to be their agent in the estate of Rawlins.

1. Albina Rawlins, b. Coles Co., Ill., married Sept. 1840, Greene Co., Ill. to William Fleming, b. 1820. They came to Texas in 1846.
2. Mary Ann Rawlins, b. 10 Jan. 1832, Greene Co., Ill., died after 1892, married 12 July 1855, Dallas Co., TX to Samuel Martin, b. 1830, Coles Co., Ill., son of Joel and Elizabeth Martin. Samuel Martin died 11 June 1880, Dallas Co.
3. Isabella Rawlins, b. Greene Co., Ill., died 11 Feb. 1877, married 22 July 1847, Dallas Co. to Stephen S. Atteberry.
4. Sarah J. Rawlins married Thos. Cheshier, 1850, Dallas Co.
5. Lydia Rawlins married Alfred J. Parks, 1849, Dallas Co.
6. Nancy Rawlins
7. John Martin Rawlins

vii. Philip W. Martin married Mary "Polly" Montgomery and died in Sullivan Co., Missouri.

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Loudon County, VA

Loudon Co. was created in 1757 when Fairfax Co. was divided. It is at the extreme northern corner of Virginia and borders Maryland.

Will Books - 1757-1800

Ralph Martin (will) - made 24 March 1772, proved 22 June 1772. Names:
wife: Mary
children: William, Joseph, John, Thomas, Ann Homan, Sarah Castleberry, Mary Eaton.
executor: friend, Isreal Thompson
(inventory) - 24 Nov. 1772 - Thomas Pursley, John Collins, appraisers

James Martin (will) - made 16 Sept. 1777, proved 10 Nov. 1777
wife: Euphemia
legatees: nephew, James Martin (son of William); nephews, William and James Liken

Loudon Co., VA (contd)

James Martin's 1777 will (contd)
Anthony Swick to have freedom when he comes of age.
Elizabeth Patten to have money when she comes of age.
executors: wife; brother, William Martin; William Smith
witnesses: Jacob Reed, Nicholas Wyckoff

John Martin (inventory) - 9 March 1778
James Martin witnessed the will of Thomas Squires in 1780

Thomas Phillips (will) - made 1794, proved 1796
legatees: children of sister, Sarah Martin; Israel Nelson; Elizabeth Martin; Thomas Martin.

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Marriage Bonds 1762-1850

Martin, Rachel (dau. of John)	Miller, Abraham	21 Dec. 1799
Martin, Martha	Painter, Samuel	12 Aug. 1799
Martin, Sarah P. S. (of Cameron Parish, guardian of Sarah P. S. Martin)	Prince, William B. John Lanphier,	9 Jan. 1832
Martin, James (Peyton Taylor, security)	Taylor, Margaret	2 Sep. 1833

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The Revolutionary pension application of Joseph and Patsy Martin (W9532) said they married eighteen months before the close of the war in Loudon Co., VA by a Baptist minister who published banns. This Joseph Martin was born in 1755 and died in Feb., 1832, Henry Co., VA. Patsy's maiden name was Bailey and she was the daughter of Joseph H. Bailey of Loudon Co. Patsy's brother was Thomas Bailey of Halifax Co., VA. Joseph and Patsy Martin moved from Loudon Co. to Pittsylvania Co., VA in 1781. They also lived in Halifax and Patrick Cos., VA and Rockingham and Stokes Cos., NC. Their children were Stephen; Susanna m. Benjamin Hancock; Moaning; Joseph; Thomas; and Patsy Martin m. John Perdue. [See pension abstract in Volume VI of the Martin Family Quarterly].

George Martin and Mary Bailey married 15 Jan. 1775 in Fairfax Co., VA by Parson Lee Massie. Mary Bailey was also a daughter of Joseph H. Bailey of Loudon Co., VA. After the close of the Revolutionary War, Mary and George Martin moved to Halifax Co., VA. George died 1 Dec. 1805 in Pittsylvania Co., VA and Mary Bailey Martin died 22 Oct. 1843 in Pittsylvania Co. Mary never remarried after Joseph died. [See pension abstract in Volume VI of the Martin Family Quarterly].

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SUBSCRIBER LINEAGES:

ISAAC[1] MARTIN OF HALIFAX COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Isaac Martin was probably born about 1720 and his will was made 4 May 1769 and proved 17 Feb. 1774, Halifax County, VA - Will Book I, page 58:

In the name of God, Amen. The fourth day of May, one thousand seven hundred and sixty nine. Isaac Martin of Halifax county being of proper health and of perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to say first and principally I commend my soul to the care of God that gave it and at my decease my body to the earth to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my executors hereafter mentioned and as touching my worldly estate where with it hath pleased God to bless me. I give and dispose of in manner and form following: I give and bequeath to Jacob Martin my oldest son the land and plantation whereon he now lives with an equal number of acres with the rest of my sons hereafter mentioned of all the land I hold at my decease to be equally divided according to good method among my seven sons, to wit, the said Jacob Martin, James Martin, John Martin, Isaac Martin, William Martin, Nathan Martin, Giles Martin to which Giles I give my plantation where I now live with an equal number as aforesaid of acres and to each of the rest their equal parts joining their new designs all which dividends of land as I have mentioned I give to my sons and to their heirs forever equally divided as abovesaid. I will also if any of my sons die leaving no lawful offspring their parts of land may return to the rest that survives to be equally divided which shall be to them and their heirs forever my negroes and movable estate. I will ...may after my decease may be sold at publick sale to the highest bidder the amount of which I will that after my lawful debts be paid what then remains may be equally divided among my seven sons above mentioned and six daughters namely Hannah, the wife of Benjamin Hubard, Sarah Martin, Mary Martin, Rachael, the wife of John Trible, Elizabeth, the wife of John Dyer and Fillis (or Tillie) Martin. I will if any of my sons or daughters die without...their parts may be equally divided amongst the then living of my sons and daughters except this I will that the money which comes to my daughter Mary's part may at her decease fall to her daughter Lucy Martin and to her heirs forever that is farther to say if the said Mary should marry I will if she has then sufficiency to amount for the estate I so left her the same may be valued by the executors and if retained by her husband he shall give security for the payment of the same to the said Lucy and at the death of my daughter Mary, the said Lucy's mother all which legacies here left I give and bequeath to each as above mentioned and to their heirs forever, lastly I make, constitute and appoint James Martin, Isaac Martin and William Martin my sons my only and sole executors to this my last will and testament ratifying and conforming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Isaac Martin of Halifax Co., VA (contd)

signed sealed and acknowledged Isaac Martin
in presence of
Joseph Collins, Stephen Collins, Tabitha Collins

At a court held for Halifax county the 17th day of February, 1774 this will was presented in court by James Martin one of the executors here in named who made oath hereto (Isaac Martin and William Martin the other executors refusing to take upon them the execution hereof) and the name being proved by the oath of two of the witnesses hereto was ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the said James Martin and his giving security, certificate was granted him for obtaining a probate hereof in due form, whereupon Jacob Martin, Isaac Martin, William Martin, Giles Martin, John Trible, Nathan Martin and John Martin became his securitys and they entered into and acknowledged his bond with condition according to law. Truly Recorded.

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Isaac Martin received two land patents for 400 acres each on 4 July 1759. His land was on both sides of Bentley Fork of the Childry Creek and the north branches of Childry Creek. Adjoining land mentioned in the descriptions was for George Morris, Joseph Collins, John Collins, John Treble, and John Hickey's Road. Another patent was 1 Aug. 1772 and mentions Hickey's Road, Collins' line, Jack Mence(?), John Namptons.

Childry Creek, Bently Branch and Hickey's Road are in the northern portion of Halifax Co. near Campbell and Charlotte counties.

On 9 Oct. 1777 Giles Martin sold James Martin 230 acres of land "according to the bounds being granted by patent first to Isaac Martin ...the fourth day of July one thousand seven hundred and fifty nine, being part of a patent of four hundred acres and is bounded as followeth, to wit, lying on the south side of Hickeys road and bounded with the lines of Jacob Martin and Hickeys road and John Dyers line and to said road again to John Martin's corner then along the said John Martin's line to William Martin's line..." Witnessed by Jacob Martin, William Martin, John Martin, and Judah Martin. This deed was proved 20 Nov. 1777 and Sally, the wife of said Giles relinquished all right of dower. [Halifax Co., VA - Deed Book 10, page 341].

On 24 Sept. 1804 William Martin sold 60 acres on Childry Creek to Obadiah Martin. This land was adjoining Robert Hubbard and Samuel Hubbard. Witnesses were Eze. Pillow, James B. Martin, James Old and Joshua Martin [Halifax Co., VA - Deed Book 20, page 270].

On 25 Oct. 1806 Nathan Martin sold 100 acres on Cow Creek to James Martin, son of James Martin. This land adjoined John L. Jennings, William Phelps and William Jennings. Test: Walter Owen, Levi Martin, Simpson Chissher. [Halifax Co., VA - Deed Book 21, page 236].

Children of Isaac Martin: (wife unknown)

i. Jacob Martin, oldest son
2. ii. James Martin, born about 1745
iii. John Martin
iv. Isaac Martin
v. William Martin
3. vi. Nathan Martin
vii. Giles Martin
viii. Hannah Martin married Benjamin Hubbard before 1769
ix. Sarah Martin
x. Mary Martin had daughter, Lucy Martin, before 1769
xi. Rachael Martin married John Tribble before 1769
xii. Elizabeth Martin married John Dyer before 1769
xiii. Fillis (or Tillie) Martin

2. JAMES MARTIN (ISAAC)

was born ca. 1745 and his will was made 30 May 1811 and proved 22 July 1811, Halifax Co., VA. His wife is unknown, but his will named 11 children. Witnesses to this will were Eze. Pillow and John J. Pillow. Executors were James' sons, Obadiah and James Martin. Nathan Martin and Eze. Pillow were securities.

For further descendants of James see Vol. V, #2, Martin Family Quarterly, pages 41-44. James is the ancestor of Gail Martin Maniowski, 8020 Westview Lane, Woodridge, Ill. 60517.

Children of James Martin:

i. Ann Martin
ii. Elizabeth Martin died before her father's 1811 will, married Woosley (or Woolsey). Children: Thomas and Sally.
iii. Polly Martin married 28 Nov. 1810, Halifax Co., VA to Elisha Hancock
iv. Sally Martin died before 1811, married Woosley and had son, Martin Woosley
v. William Martin
vi. Zachariah Martin married 20 April 1801, Halifax Co., VA to Eady Waller
vii. Moses Martin married 17 Jan. 1794, Halifax Co., VA to Philadelphia "Delphy" Martin. Of Franklin Co., VA, 1812.
viii. James Martin m. 12 Dec. 1801, Halifax Co. to Jane Martin
ix. Obadiah Martin, b. 1770/75, d. ca. 1834, probably Halifax Co., VA, m. 23 Jan. 1802, Halifax Co. to Tabitha Saeff
1. Meady Martin, b. 1805, VA, d. 1880, Mason Co., West Virginia, m. 9 Nov. 1822, Halifax Co. to Elizabeth W. Wallis (Wallace). He married 2nd to Martha Blackburn in 1869.
x. Abraham Martin lived in Franklin Co., VA in 1812.
xi. Levi Martin lived in Franklin Co., VA in 1812.

3. NATHAN MARTIN (ISAAC)

died 27 August 1817, Barren Co., KY. He married Elizabeth ____. Her inventory was done in 1822.

Children of Nathan Martin and Elizabeth ____:

i. Joseph Martin, died 18 Dec. 1821, Wayne Co., Ill. (estate also in Barren Co., KY). He married 22 Nov. 1790, Halifax Co., VA to Elizabeth "Betty" Owen, dau. of Walter Owen.
1. Joseph Martin, Jr., b. 1792, d. Aug. 1861, Marshall Co., Ill., married 29 Aug. 1820, Wayne Co., Ill. to Elizabeth Bird, dau. of James and Susannah Ferris Bird.
A. Joseph Henry Martin, b. 1823, married 18 March 1847, Lacon, Marshall Co., Ill. to Mary Jane Soward. They were divorced and she remarried to _____ Payne. Their dau., Luella Martin, born 3 May, 1851, Marshall Co., Ill., died 18 Feb. 1939, Los Angeles, CA, was adopted by Samuel Cushing. Luella m. Euclid Martin, b. 22 Mar. 1847, Beelers Station, West Virginia, on 10 Sept. 1873, Woodford Co., Ill. Luella Martin is the grandmother of Mrs. Eugene T. Aldridge, 368 South Gordon Way, Los Altos, CA 94022.
ii. Elizabeth Martin m. 22 Nov. 1790, Halifax Co., VA to Walter Owen.
iii. James B. Martin m. 26 Nov. 1798, Halifax Co., VA to Nanny Owen.
iv. Jane Martin
v. Nancy Martin
vi. Isaac Martin

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FROM THE EDITOR

This issue of the Quarterly is being mailed a few weeks later than usual. Normally you will receive your issues in May, Aug., Nov. or Feb. The query deadline for the August issue if July 1, so if you want a query in it please send it now. Please don't ask me to make a query from your letters. Put your query on a separate sheet of paper and label it "query."

Your Martin lineage can be published in the Quarterly. The lineage should be in a well organized form either on group sheets or typed up in an outline. You must document the lineage.

Any Martin records are gratefully accepted. If you Xerox from a book please include the name, author and date of publication. Even if you don't go on research trips, the Martin records from your home county could help another Martin researcher. (continued to bottom of page 34)

QUERIES

Need info on parents of Ella Martin, who was born 27 March 1875, Bloomfield, Ohio, married Thomas Joshua Agee in Fayetteville, Ark. on 2 June 1888 or 2 Jan. 1889, lived in California for 15 years, and died in San Francisco, CA on 21 Sept. 1937.
Douglas Agee, 3311 Craigo Ave., El Paso, Texas 79904

Who were the parents of Alice Martin Clark Bishop? Alice Martin married George Clark, 22 Jan. 1638 in Plymouth, Mass., married Richard Bishop, 5 Dec. 1644. Children: Abigail Clarke, Martha Clarke and Damaris Bishop.
Ada M. Redin, 4100 Beach Ridge Road, N. Tonawanda, NY 14120

Rosanna Martin was born in Baltimore, Maryland in 1803. She moved to Washington, D. C. about 1822. In 1836 she married Henry Seiffert. Rosanna's mother was Elizabeth or Bessie and she was born in Maryland. Her father was born in France and his name there may have been Martyngue. Does anyone know the full name of this man? Any info appreciated.
Mrs. Roy Anderson, 109 Westlook Circle, Oak Ridge, TN 37830

I wish to correspond with any descendants of John Martin and Esther Roberts. John Martin of Dover, NH and Piscataway, NJ ca. 1620-1687. Am very interested to know about genealogies in print of this family.
Louise Martin Mohler, 1098 Redstone Rd., Washington, PA 15301

Reunion

On August 9, 1982 the descendants of Hugh Martin - Warren County, Illinois Pioneer - will gather for a reunion on the original Martin farms settled in 1832. Hugh Martin first went to Fulton County, Illinois having come from Guernsey-Muskingum Counties, Ohio where he married Margaret Brown. Hugh Martin, the elder, was a founding member of the Cedar Creek Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church which predated the origin of Monmouth College in Monmouth, Illinois. For further info:
Leonard Porter, P. O. Box 17033, Greenville, SC 29606

I wish to correspond with anyone having information on two families connected with my Martin line: (1) Was there a Martin marriage with a Gillison in Colonial Caroline Co., VA? My great grandfather was Gillison Martin, b. 1813, Tenn. and lived in Perry, Madison, and Warren Counties, MO. He named one of his sons George Gillison; his dau., Sarah Elizabeth named my father John Gillison. James Gillison died ca. 1747 in Caroline Co., VA; John Gillison died ca. 1761 leaving wife, Mary, and orphans, John, Peggy, Mary, and Elizabeth. (2) Jesse Martin had three children who married three Browns in Perry Co., MO: Gillison Martin m. Rebecca Brown, bond dated 12 Feb. 1840; Moses Martin m. Mary "Lizzie" Brown, bond dated 4 June 1840; and Darella Martin m. Smith Brown, ca. 1842. Family tradition says Rebecca Brown's father was a German shoemaker who married a full-blooded Cherokee in eastern Tenn. An old Bible says Rebecca's parents were Thomas Brown and Elizabeth.

Thomas and Elizabeth Brown may have also been parents of Mary "Lizzie" Brown who married Moses Martin.
Effie Keaster, 119 Sylvia Circle, Athens, Georgia 30606

Jesse Martin is found in the 1850 census of Madison Co., MO, age 63, living with Smith Brown and Dorella Martin Brown next to Moses Martin born in Missouri and his wife, Mary, born Alabama. In 1880 Moses Martin and two children were still there. Madison Co., MO, 1880 census, #46/48, Moses Martin, b. ca. 1820, age 60, born MO, parents both born NC. Living with him were, dau., Susanna N., 22, b. MO, father, b. MO, mother, b. LA.; and son, Daniel N., 20, b. MO, father, b. MO, mother, b. Ala. 1880 census, Madison Co., MO, #47/49, Nathaniel Martin, age 28, b. MO, father born in MO, mother, b. Ala. Children: Samuel, age 6; Francis N., age 5; Millerd, age 4; all born in MO. Moses Martin's father was Nathaniel Martin. Was this family originally from Stokes Co., NC? Will exchange.
Eva Mae Martin, 114 Cornwall, Rockport, Texas 78382

Need parents of Dulcina Martin, b. 18 March 1832 and died 16 Jan. 1916, Cedar township, Boone Co., MO. She was Dully McCarty, wife of James William McCarty. Her death certificate lists father as William Martin and mother as Mary Steel. Which William Martin? Is anyone working on this lineage? Additional names of research: Taylor, Nichols, Pauley, Persinger and Henderson.
Mrs. Warren Schmidt, 218 W. 18th Ave., Spokane, Wash. 99203

Still searching for Joseph Martin, b. ca. 1801. Wife was Stacey Sprinkle who was born ca. 1813. Children: Elizabeth Ann "Betsey" Martin, b. 17 May 1840, m. 24 Nov. 1858 to James F. Childers and moved to Cooper Co., MO in 1868; Fanny C. Martin, b. ca. 1842; Jonathan C. Martin, b. ca. 1844; Isaac H. Martin, b. ca. 1847; Louisa Martin, b. ca. 1849. All are listed in 1850 census of Surry Co., NC. Related counties of Yadkin and Stokes Co., NC.
Agatha F. Dunham, Rt. 2, Box 40, Otterville, MO 65348

I am seeking any ties between Christopher Martin, m. Permelia Jobe, Lafayette Co., MO in 1824, and Christopher Martin who m. Ellender Halfhill, Lafayette Co., MO in 1855. Christopher Martin,the elder, lived in Buchanan Co., MO from 1830 on, moving to Taylor Co., Iowa in 1858. Near him in Clayton township, Taylor Co., Iowa lived John Halfhill. Christopher Martin, the elder, died in 1859 and is buried in Mohler Cemetery, Bedford, Taylor Co., Iowa. Permelia died in 1891 and is buried there also. Christopher Martin, the younger, is, according to Lafayette Co., MO cemetery records, buried in Dover Cemetery, Lafayette Co., MO. His wife is also buried there. I have visited the cemetery and couldn't find the graves. Are these Martins related to each other and to Nathaniel Martin, d. 1874, buried in Burch Cemetery, Atchison township, Nodaday Co., MO? Halfhills also resided near Burch Cemetery in 1860.
Marilyn Mutti, Box 196, Hopkins, MO 64461

Query deadline for the Aug. issue is.....July 1

Would appreciate any information on William H. Martin, born 1821, Georgia (Alabama), wife M. A. (could be Mary Ann), b. 1823, Georgia (Alabama). Children were Micajah, William, Monroe, J. Cicero, Naomi, Josephine and John Wesley Martin, all born in Miss. J. Cicero Martin moved to Nacogodoches Co., TX between the time of the 1870 census and 12 July 1871. He was with his family in Newton Co., Miss. in 1870 and married Mary Elizabeth Neel, 12 July 1871, in Nacogdoches Co., TX. J. Cicero and Mary Elizabeth Martin returned to Meridian, Miss. where Mary Elizabeth died 4 Aug. 1875. John Wesley and J. Cicero Martin were on the 1880 census in Nacogdoches Co., TX.
William D. Martin, Jr., St. Rt. 2, Box 236-B, Brownwood, Texas 76801

Four Martin brothers came to Texas and married Indians, one being my maternal great grandfather, John W. (Wesley) Martin. John W. Martin married Charlott Chestnuh, 19 April 1870, Burnet Co., Texas. In the 1870 Burnet Co., TX census is John Martin, age 40, b. VA and Charlott, age 14, b. KY. John W. Martin m. Virginia Origon (Davidson) Phelan, b. 1 Dec. 1845, Ala., d. 24 March 1897, Liberty Hill, TX. No dates on John W. Martin. Children: Thomas Martin; James Martin; John Martin, alive in 1951 and maybe living in Calif. at that time; Molly Martin married _____ Ward; Texanna Martin, b. 13 Sept. 1877, Burnet Co., TX, married first to Edgar Johnson, b. 28 Aug. 1870, Johnson Co., TX, d. in 1902, White Bead, Okla., married 2nd to Hade Hunt. One of John W. Martin's sons was said to have been an official of some kind. Thomas wore a badge in an old photograph. I need parentage, birthdate, birthplace on John W. Martin and his family.
Patricia H. Ball, Rt. 2, Box 858-A, Tifton, Georgia 31794

I need the names of parents of Mary Ellen Martin (usually called by middle name, Ellen), b. 1817, VA, m. Moses Quesenberry, 1836, Green Co., KY, d. about 1854, Sonoma Co., Calif. Children were John R., James A., Zachariah T., Mildred, Nancy Jane, and Mary Gatewood Quesenberry.
Mabel Yaggy, 2625 Southland, #20, San Angelo, Texas 76904

Seeking any information on Richard and Sarah S. (Conkel) Martin, married in PA in 1843. Moved to Genoa, Ohio in 1850's. Children were Priscilla Williams; Caroline Miller; Ocella Martin; George Martin m. Florence; Matthew Martin m. a Bosta; Lewis Martin m. a Sophine; Frances Martin; Richard Martin; Curtis Clayton Martin; Tom Martin; Mark Martin m. a Mollie. Richard Martin died in 1882; Sarah, b. 3 Oct. 1814, PA, was still living in 1900 with George and Florence in Delaware Co., Ohio census.
Mrs. Ronald Cagle, 3501 Ridgeroad Place, Lawton, Okla. 73505

Would appreciate information on James Stillman Martin probably born Ogdenburg, NY on 11 Sept. 1837 (for 1900 census he gave birthplace as VT); married Anna Melvina Edmunds at Allegheny City, PA, 12 Sept. 1874 (2nd marriage for him). Need to know parents and siblings of both Martin and Edmunds.
James S. Martin, III, 1607 Country Lane, Bellingham, Wash. 98225

Martin-Waldrop - Seeking information about descendants of Robert Edwin

Martin, b. Jan. 1854, Marion Co., Ala. or GA. His father (called Jim) from SC. His mother, Tenn. Married Hannah Rebecca Waldrop, 3 Dec. 1874. Rebecca was born 9 Feb. 1855, Ala. They came to Texas in 1892. Her parents were both born in Ala. They moved to Greenville, Texas; both are buried in Greenville. Children: Lucy, Janie, John W., Charles W., James Edgar, Savannah, Vona, Luther J., Claude Martin.
Mrs. Ernest D. Martin, Hoxbar Route, Box 53A, Ardmore, Okla. 73401

Does anyone know who John Martin was the son of? He was in the 1870 census of Logan Co., Ill. It lists John born 1830, Ill., Emily born 1840, Grover born 1850, Drewry born 1854. Is this another son of Drewry Martin?
Betty Martin, 217 N. W. Jayellen, Burleson, Texas 76028

Seeking information about descendants of Dr. Brice C. Martin who d. in the cholera epidemic of 1854 in Lincoln Co., Tenn. He was b. ca. 1825, Stokes Co., NC, the son of Samuel and Sarah (Clement) Martin; lived in Williamson Co., Tenn. until he moved to Lincoln Co., Tenn. where he m. Frances R. Moores on 27 Sept. 1849. His children were Martha, b. ca. 1850; Charles, b. ca. 1851; and Sarah, b. ca. 1852. Birthdates are estimates from census records. Martha and Sarah were living with other families in the Norris Creek area of Lincoln Co. and Charles was living with his widowed mother, according to the 1860 census. This family may have moved to Texas.
Would like information about descendants of Benjamin Franklin Martin, b. ca. 1821, brother of Dr. Brice C. Martin. Benjamin m. Jane D. Alston, 13 July 1840, Williamson Co., Tenn. Their children's names were shown by initials only on census records, except for Brice, b. ca. 1847 and Mary V., b. ca. 1852. The other four children were E. A., b. ca. 1842; S. A., b. ca. 1844; R. A. (female), b. ca. 1855; and J. A. (male) b. ca. 1857. Other children may have been born after 1857. Benjamin Franklin Martin may have been the B. F. Martin buried in the Confederate Cemetery at Franklin, Tenn. No further record was found on this family in Tenn., and it is possible that they were the Martin family that moved to Polk Co., Texas.
Virginia Copeland Jantz, Route 1, Box 1453, Waco, Texas 76710

My father, Wallace Ewing Martin, was born 3 April 1891 in Rome, GA. His father, James Crusenberry Martin, was born 4 Dec. 1857. Where was he born? He married Zenobia Clementine Smith. I would like to know what her mother's name was. Her father was James Withrow Laurence Smith. The name Ewing has been used many times in our family. My g grandfather was Hollingsworth Martin who married Hannah Hemphill. Would like to know anything about them.
Mrs. W. Clifford Moore, 700 W. College, Coleman, Texas 76834

Still searching for the parents & ancestors of Mary Frances Martin, b. 20 March 1886 or earlier, W. Va. She m. at an early age, was divorced & nothing is known about her until she m. my father, Bernard Peter Schaefer, b. 20 June 1884, Cannelton, Ind. They were m. 12 July 1919, Portland, Oregon. He was a widower with 3 children: George, Pauline & Mildred Schaefer. Mary Frances & Bernard had 2 children: Mary & Winnie

Schaefer. Mary Frances d. 24 Nov. 1947 and Bernard P. Schaefer d. 9 Nov. 1953, Inglewood, Calif. Mary Frances had a brother, but nothing is known about him.
Mrs. Stephen (Winnie) Nicas, 4143 W. 107 Street, Inglewood, CA 90304

John Alexander Martin d. 31 Dec. 1843 and Susanna _____, b. 1773, d. 26 July 1856, Clarke Co., GA were parents of: Rebecca Narcissus Martin, 1814-1894, m. Walter Carson, Jr. 19 Aug. 1834, Clarke Co., GA; Mary Martin, 1806-1879, m. James McDonald; Eliza Martin m. Archie McDonald, bro. of James; John Martin, 1807-1854; Dixon Martin moved to Ripley, Tenn. When was John Alexander Martin born and who were his parents? Did he die in or near Clarke Co., GA? Where is the grave? Is he the Alexander Martin in the Cherokee Land Lottery of 1832 who received land in Oglethrope Co., GA? What was Susannah's maiden name and who were her parents? Was she born in Maryland as the census records show? The will of William Carson, 1811, York Co., SC lists a dau., Susannah, wife of Alexander Martin. Is this the same couple as the one above?
Jane Carson Milam, Box 36, Sandy Springs, SC 29677

My gg grandfather, Abner Martin, was born in NC ca. 1809. He married Rebecca(?) and had 10 children all born in Tenn. They were in Haywood Co., Tenn. in 1850. His dau., my g grandmother, Mary Martin, b. 9 Jan. 1833, Haywood Co., Tenn., m. Charles Clark Coppedge, 31 March 1852. She d. in Ore City, Upshur Co., TX in 1825(?). I hope to find parents of Abner Martin and surname and parents of Rebecca, b. Tenn.
Edra Andrews Hickman, 867 Carmen Dr., Camarillo, CA 93010

Seeking parents, wives and siblings of George Martin, b. ca. 1805, KY, residing in Perry Co., Ill. in 1850 census. His children were (1) John, b. 22 Jan. 1833, Ill., d. 27 Aug. 1907, Mt. Vernon, Franklin, TX, m. 1853, Ill. to Sara Jane Davis, b. 9 Sept. 1836, VA, d. 10 Oct. 1903, Mt. Vernon, Franklin, TX; (2) Michael Martin, b. ca. 1837, Ill.; (3) James Martin, b. ca. 1835, Ill.; (4) Jeptha Martin, b. ca. 1836, Ill.; (5) Delila Zeritha Martin, b. ca. 1841, m. Robert G. Keller; (6) Mary Ann "Polly" Martin, b. Mar. 1845, d. 18 Nov. 1918, Mt. Vernon, Franklin, TX, m. 21 Oct. 1866, Perry Co., Ill. to William C. Newsom, b. Nov. 1839, Dickson, Tenn., d. 22 April 1913, Mt. Vernon, Franklin, TX. The 1860 Perry, Ill. census shows George with wife #2 Eliza _____ and three of his children in his household. John and his wife lived nearby. The 1870 census lists only John Martin with his wife and neighbors of Wm. C. Newsome and wife, Mary Ann. These two families are found in 1880, Wise Co., TX census. Then in 1900 Franklin Co., TX. Would like to correspond with the descendants and researchers of this lineage.
Joy Cook, 12107 De Forrest, Houston, Texas 77066

Elvira Martin, b. 1829, Tenn. married Andrew Featherston ca. 1849, Tenn. (possibly Bedford Co.). Who were her parents?
Mrs. I. D. Oakley, Rt. 2, Box 243, Hopkinsville, KY 42240

Need information on all Martins of Spotsylvania Co., VA.
Teresa Martin Klaiber, 3 Kingswood Rd., Marlton, NJ 08053

Urias and Kezie (Williams) Martin were born and married in KY., he in May 1795, she about 1800. The oldest son, James Harrison Martin, was also born in KY on 22 May 1819. Urias and Kezia brought their family thru Ala. and Tenn. to Union Co., Ill. in time for the 1840 census. In about 1852, the family again moved to Texas (by way of Ark., where James Harrison Martin and some of the other siblings remained for a few years). Urias died in Grapevine, Tarrant Co., TX in 1855; Kezia a few years later. James Harrison Martin died in Erath Co., TX on 19 Feb. 1897. I need the counties in Ala., Tenn., and Ark., especially KY where they settled, plus any other information concerning this family. Urias was my gg grandfather.
Eugene Harrison, 3821 Heywood Ave., Fort Worth, Texas 76109

I am searching for information concerning the parents and ancestors of Thomas H. Martin (Illinois). Thomas m. Margaret Landis (Pennsylvania). They were the parents of my g grandfather, John Harvey Martin, b. 30 Nov. 1866, Peoria, Ill., d. 21 April, 1951, Los Angeles, CA, buried Gillett, Ark. John m. Ida Harriet Champion (1870-1940) of Tenn. at Ark. Post, Ark. Their children: Fred William, my grandfather; John Martin; Frank Martin; Faye Martin; Blanche Martin m. Ray Rich; Herb Martin; Mary Martin m. Bill Wright; David Martin and Annie Martin who d. as an infant. Does John Harvey Martin have any brothers and sisters?
Dana Martin Porter, Rt. 3, Box 59, Canadian, Texas 79014

Searching for _____ Martin who married John Grant in late 1700's. Lived in VA, county unknown; NC, county unknown; and Robertson Co., Tenn. where she died ca. 1830. Had children: Spencer, Nathan, John, Stephen, Tabitha m. William Massey, Lottie m. Claiborn H. Henry, Ann m. _____ Carrington. I have searched for 15 years. Please help.
Gladys McDowell, Rt. 4, Box 1166, Unit 15L, Cottonwood, AZ 86326

Mary Ann (Margaret) Mount m. James Monroe Martin, 14 Marc. 1871. He died July 1878; buried Otter Pond, Caldwell, KY. She married his bro., George Washington Martin. He died 24 March 1908, East St. Louis, St. Clair, Ill. and is buried Mt. Hope Cemetery. She died 19 Jan. 1909 and is buried Mt. Carmel Cemetery, East St. Louis, St. Clair, Ill. Need her parents; her birthplace and date.
Harry Titus, P. O. Box 309, Santa Barbara, CA 93116-0309

Need information on Bennet Monroe Martin, b. 1843, TX, m. Margaret Catherine Ambelton, b. 1855, Monroe, LA, dau. of John Ambelton, b. 1813, LA, d. 1874. He m. Florete Duclote(?), b. 1830, France. They m. at Monroe, LA. Florite Ambelton d. 29 Nov. 1873, LA. Bennet Monroe Martin and Margaret Catherine (Ambelton) moved to Caddo Pa., LA, Mooringport, LA. He was a merchant there and they had several children born there: John Edward Martin, b. 20 Nov. 1871, d. 10 Jan. 1931, Parker Co., TX; Eugene Amasaia Martin, b. 15 Apr. 1873, d. 30 June 1916, AZ; Ida Lewona Martin, b. 1874, d. (?) Erick, Okla.; Clifton Ambelton (Bud) Martin, b. 31 Jan. 1876, d. 10 Nov. 1955, Parker Co., TX; Charles Bennet (Ben) Martin, b. 23 Jan. 1878, TX, d. 6 Nov. 1950, Mineral Wells, TX. Bennet M. and Margaret moved from Mooringport to Parker Co., 1876. He bought a farm near Shaddy Grove community in Parker Co. near Weather-

ford, TX, 6 Dec. 1876. Their youngest son was born 3 March 1879, d. 24 Feb. 1881. Bennet Monroe Martin d. 16 Feb. 1879, buried in family cemetery on the Martin farm, now the Spinler farm. His parents and siblings are unknown. There was one bro. named Charles. It has been said Margaret Catherine Ambelton attended Catholic school in LA. Would like information on these people. My father was John Edward Martin b. 20 Nov. 1871, LA, d. 10 Jan. 1931, TX, m. Ottie Hines Newberry. They had 5 children: Margaret Ambelton, Oreston Eugene, Lydon Temple, Tweetie Vesta and myself, Katherine Mae. Some of these are unusual names. Are they family names? Will answer all letters.
Katherine (Kay) Beauchamp, Box 377, Rt. 3, Midland, Texas 79701

Seeking information relating to my 3/grandparents, Abel and Sallie Martin of NC. 2/grandmother, Rosanna Martin, b. ca. 1815, NC, m. George W. Hedrick (Headrick), ca. 1830/32. This couple's children: Sarah, Lousia Washington, Alford S., Mary A., William Jennings and Nancy Elizabeth. All born in GA except Wm. J. and Nancy E. who were born at Longstreet, DeSoto Pa., LA. They came to LA ca. 1845. Tradition has it that both families came to the Carolina's from Germany in the early 1700's. Will share any information I have.
Wanda Jean Proctor, Star Route, Box 41-B, Lone Grove, Okla. 73443

Looking for parents and lineage of John (Brady?) Martin, b. ca. 1765, m. Millison Manning, 11 children: Alex, 1790; Fanny, 1792; Mary, 1794; Squire, 1795; Lucy, 1797, Marg, 1798; Ben, 1800; Reuben, 1802; Manning, 1803; Simeon, 1805; Presley, 1806. Some question about those birthdates. Was this John Martin the first son of Reuben Martin, 1744-1844, and Mary Van Buren? Reuben, b. Somerset Co., NJ, d. Morrow Co., Ohio. John, b. NJ and lived in Tyler and/or Ohio Co., West Virginia.
Albert L. Tangora, 617 Hazel, Mexico, Missouri 65265

Is anyone working on Martins in Jackson, Putnam or White counties, Tenn. around 1830 to 1860? I have a Hiram Martin born 9 April 1840 or 41 in White Co., Tenn. He has a lot of half brothers and sisters. His parents were Daniel and Polly Martin. This is on his death certificate in Putnam Co., Tenn. 21 May 1936. His children were all born in Jackson Co., Tenn.
Beatrice Wilson, 9983 Sanford Rd., Lodi, Ohio 44254

Seeking information on Samuel W. Martin, b. Feb. 1825 in Virginia. Grew up in West Virginia. What county? Parents? Was in Mexican War and lived in Texas afterwards. He married Margaret Caldwell, 25 June 1849, Travis Co., TX, d. July 1865, Bastrop Co., TX. Father believed to have been German. One ancestor or relative believed to have been involved in a coal mine accident in West Virginia.
Howard W. Martin, 2120 Grant, El Paso, Texas 79930

Would like to correspond with descendants of George Martin who came from England to Salisbury, Mass. in 1637. He married (1) Hannah _____ and (2) Susanna North, 11 Aug. 1646. He died in 1686. Who were his parents in England?
Shirley Martin Jardine, P. O. Box 92, White River Jct., VT 05001

Nancy Mariah Martin m. Samuel (called John) Scott 4 Sept. 1851. Her mother remarried a James Ralston 3 Oct. 1849. Why? Rachel Ann Martin (sister) married a Eli Hunt, 1853. On the 1850 census, Vigo Co., Ind. shows: Sarah _____? (1) _____? (2) Ralston with the following children: Rachell Ann Martin, 16; Nancy Mariah Martin, 15; Isaac(?), 9; and William, 7. On same census next door shows Ja (believe John) C. Martin, age 43 with wife, Ann, age 37, with William, 16; Elizabeth, 13; Alasa, 6; a Flakes, 13; Cela, 5; Sarah J., 4; Eliza Ann, 2; and William, 3/12. Believe this to be a brother. Just below is another Martin with a James MC(?), age 60 and John, Joseph, John C., Mary Ann, etc. Would believe associated with Sarah _____. Need names of Samuel Scott and Nancy Mariah's parents.
Ray C. Church, Box 382, Chugiak, Alaska 99567

Need proof that Mary (Polly) Martin, b. ca. 1773, m. Daniel Hammack, ca. 1789, lived Smith Co., Tenn. was child of General Joseph Martin. Or was she child of William Martin who married Rachel Dalton as stated in Lucy Henderson Horton's book.
Mrs. John E. Palmer, 13182 Shasta Way, Santa Ana, Calif. 92705

Ancestors or descendants of James Arthur Martin, b. ca. 1815, VA, m. Elizabeth Garnett, 19 May 1838, Caroline Co., VA. Were his parents James and Maria Martin? Children: (all born in Caroline or Essex Cos.) C. or H., 1840; Robert Samuel, 1841, m. 1st Isabella Cecil, 2nd Mary L. Sale; Valvin, 1843; William or James, 1844, wife may be Mahala Loving; Baynham, 1848, m. Katherine Alice Jordan; Baylor, 1849, m. 1st Emma Ella Jordan, 2nd Willie Jett (Collier) Mundie; Victoria, 1852, m. John W. Greenstreet; Asarilla, 1854, m. 1st Joseph Clarke, 2nd _____ Wolf; Elizabeth, 1858. James was a farmer and carpenter and died in Essex Co. in Nov. 1873. Will exchange info on these or other families in the Tidewater VA area.
Norfolk, VA, 31 July 1832, John Banks m. Mary Martin; 25 April 1832, Thomas Martin m. Elizabeth D. Banks, dau. of John; 20 Oct. 1825, John Banks m. Sarah Martin, widow. Is this the same John Banks? How are Mary, Thomas and Sarah related? John and Mary Banks' children were Richard B., 1835, and John W., 1839. Looking for ancestors and descendants. Will exchange information.
Judy Martin, 5055 S. Chesterfield Rd., #309, Arlington, VA 22206

Seeking information about Absolum Martin, b. ca. 1788, VA, d. 1860/70, Bibb Co., Ala., m. Clara McCary. Clara's father, Richard, was m. ca. 1792 to Nancy Martin who d. in SC before 1827. Richard McCary and Absolum Martin came to Bibb Co., Ala. from Edgefield Co., SC about the same time, ca. 1827. Four of 11 known children of Clara and Absolum are: Eliza Martin, b. ca. 1814, SC, m. 8 Feb. 1832, Joseph Davenport; Warren Jehazel Martin, b. ca. 1821/25, SC, m. Mahulda Gentry; Hester A. Martin, b. ca. 1827, SC, m. 5 Oct. 1840, John D. Milstead; Benjamin Martin, b. ca. 1831/35, Ala., m. Mary. All children m. in Bibb Co., Ala. Does Isaac Newton Martin, b. 5 July 1831, Bibb Co., Ala., d. ca. 1915, Chilton Co., Ala. and wife Elizabeth Littlefield belong to Absolum? Need help in sorting out Bibb Co., Ala. Martin families. Need parents of Absolum and his remaining children. Does anyone have a Virginia

family with a son Absolum Martin, b. ca. 1788?
James J. Martin, 8718 Palisades Dr., Tampa, Fla. 33615

Tow(e)ry/Martin: I am still seeking some clue as to the parents of my 3rd great grandmother, Mary (Polly) Martin. She was b. 12 May 1786 and listed Tenn. as her birth state. (As Tenn. was not yet a state, I have assumed she meant she was born in what is now Tenn). On 5 May 1803 she m. John Towry and I believe this marriage took place in Pendleton Dist., SC. Recently we found land records which show that John & Mary (Martin) Towry were in Lincoln Co., Tenn. by April 1815, as John was granted land there on that date. They are listed in Lincoln Co., Tenn. in the 1820 census and were in Marion Co., Tenn. by 1830. They were in Hamilton Co., Tenn. by 1840. Mary (Polly) died in Hamilton Co. on 14 Aug. 1851. I have exhausted every source I know of to find Mary's parents and I am desperate! Our Towry/Towery Family Association is now approaching its third year and I have fairly good records of most families. We will gladly share this data with anyone interested.
Della Y. Guise, P. O. Box 915, Grants Pass, Oregon 97526

James L. Martain (Martin), b. ca. 1867, Ala., d. 21 Sept. 1932, Cuba, Ala., m. Emma H. Hawkins. Worked 33 years on the AGS railroad as section foreman. Could be from Jackson and St. Clair Cos., Ala. James L. Martin and Emma Hawkins raised 12 children and 2 grandchildren. Some of these children may have been born in Woodstock, Ala.
Dorcas L. Slade, Box 162A, Hammond, Ill. 61929

I have two direct Martin lineages and a kinship with another. Kinship Colonel John (Jack) Martin, of Rockhouse fame, m. Nancy Shipp, sister of my fourth great grandfather, Josiah Shipp. Direct lines: George Martin in Lincoln Co., Tenn. in 1840's. From Abstracts of Wills, Lincoln Co., Tenn. 1810-1895 by Marsh, p. 39: George Martin. Children: S. George Martin, William J. H. Martin, Martha J. A. Timmons, Celia Ann Martin, Robert Martin, Mary V. Houston, Elizabeth M. L. _____. Grandchildren: Ann Eliza, Mary Catherine, Frances Virginia and two infants, twins, all the children of son C. K. V. Martin, decd. Executors: sons, S. George Martin and Wm. J. H. Martin. 11 Nov. 1840. Witnesses: Geo. W. Jones and Samuel Bell. Proved March term 1843. Martha J. A. Timmons, wife of Joseph B. Timmons, had a dau., Anne Francis Timmons who m. Marquis DeLafayette McGuire. The Timmons were in Weakley Co., TN 1850-80.
Mary Clementine Martin, b. 31 Oct. 1867, m. 20 Mar. 1883, Livingston, TX. She may have been born in Bastrop or Alice, TX and supposedly had a sister, Jane. Her marriage date and place are found in Confederate pension application. She m. John Martin Murphy and all their children were born in LA. Mary named her 2nd son, Willie Valentine Murphy. 1900 census shows her father, b. LA, and mother, b. Miss.
Verby Lee Cotham Balinas, 12022 Palmfree, Houston, Texas 77034

Desire correspondence with descendants of my 3rd great grandparents, Joseph Martin and Rebecca Gerrard. Joseph Martin, b. 14 Jan. 1764, Bedford Co., PA, m. ca. 1788, PA, d. 15 Oct. 1845, Newton, Anderson twp., Hamilton Co., Ohio, m. to Rebecca Gerrard, b. PA at Gerrard's Fort on the Big Whitely in 1771. She died in Hamilton Co., Ohio 25 March 1843.

Both were buried in Martin Cemetery, Anderson twp., Ohio. Rebecca's father is throught to be John Gerrard who came to Hamilton Co., Ohio with 4 sons at the same time as Joseph Martin. John Gerrard was a great Baptist minister of his time. Joseph Martin served in the Revolutionary War from Bedford Co., PA; was with Capt. John Boyd's Rangers of Bedford Militia. Listed as private in Rangers of the Frontier 1778-1783 and military records of PA Archives, 3rd Series, Vol. 4, pages 245 & 609. Also, believe Joseph Martin, Jr. was in same company with his father, Joseph Martin, Sr., who was killed in Battle of Bedford Co., PA, 1782. He was born 1744, Chester Co., PA, m. Sary Jones. Joseph Martin & Rebecca had 19 children all born Hamilton Co., Ohio. Only 16 lived to maturity. Children: (1) Hannah Martin, b. 1 Nov. 1789, m. Dan Laneer; (2) William Martin, Sr., b. 23 Apr. 1791, m. ca. 1812/3, Elizabeth (Smith) Goldsberry. He d. Carroll Co., Ind., 1847 and believe she d. before 1832. Four known children: Elizabeth Ann, b. 1814, m. Daniel Nyce, 1832, Ohio. They moved to White Co., Ind. and received government land 1830's. William Marion Martin, b. 9 Dec. 1815, m. 1845, White Co. to Easter Leovina Smelcer, lived White Co.,Ind. He had 6 children by this marriage, the oldest being John Smelcer Martin, b. 1847, d. 1932, White Co., Ind. His 2nd son, George W. Martin, b. 1870 was my father. John Martin, b. ca. 1818, Ohio, m. Sophia, had one dau., Sarah, found 1850 census, Carroll Co., Ind. Thomas Martin, b. 1826, d. 1882, White Co., Ind.; (3) Jonah Martin, b. 20 Sept. 1792; (4) John Martin, b. 6 Mar. 1794; (5) Levi Martin, b. 1 Dec. 1795, d. 15 Dec. 1866, m. Elizabeth Riggs, both d. Hamilton Co., Ohio. Known children: Martha, Elizabeth, Hannah, Sarah, Harriett & Joseph Martin; (6 & 7) twin girls, both died at birth; (8) Jacob Martin, b. 19 Jan. 1798, d. 10 Mar. 1882, m. Mariam Spillman, lived Campbell Co., KY for a short time then moved to Decatur Co., Ind. Frank, b. 1826; Rebecca A., b. 1829; James W., b. 1831; Sarah J., b. 1834, m. James W. Caffyn, she d. 1895, Indianapolis; John S. or L. Martin, b. 1835, m. 1865, Mary ____ & had Sarah, b. 1858, m. to Ashworth; Mary Jane, b. 1861, m. Wilhelm, & Albert Monroe, b. 1862, m. Murley; m. 2nd to Mary Angeline Potter and had John Martin, b. 1867; Eva May, b. 1871, m. Wilson; Charles, b. 1869; Joseph, b. 1873; Susan Viola, b. 1877, m. Fiestermal; Sophronia D., b. 1879, m. Quelle; and Lucy A., b. 1882, m. Coley. Margaret L., b. 1840, Ind.; Martha M., b. 1844; Nancy, b. 1849; and Jacob J., b. 1843, Ind.; (9) Joseph Martin, b. 9 March 1799, d. 23 April 1873, m. Martha DeBolt and Hannah Bush Bagby; (10) Chloe Martin, b. 19 Dec. 1800, m. James Martin, she d. 17 Feb. 1877. They had at least two children: Francis Martin, b. 1817, m. Elizabeth and James F. Martin, b. 1829; (11) Nancy Martin, b. 15 Jan. 1801, m. George White; (12) Durcilla Martin, b. 20 Oct. 1803, m. Robert White; (13) Rachel Martin, b. 10 March 1805, m. James Spillman; (14) Susannah Martin, b. 13 Jan. 1806, m. Norvel Kelso; (15) Methetable Martin, b. 24 Oct. 1807, d. 14 Dec. 1884, m. Thomas Martin; (16) Martha Martin, b. 10 Jan. 1809, d. 3 Feb. 1873, m. Michael DeBolt; (17) Gano Martin, b. 4 Feb. 1811, d. 30 April 1884, m. Elizabeth Curry, Elizabeth Nash and Rachel Highlands; (18) Elizabeth Martin, b. 25 Nov. 1813, m. 26 Dec. 1835, Morris W. Black, found in History of Huntington Co., Ind. I have the following references for this lineage: DAR records of Joseph Martin; his war records; census records for all of the families; family Bibles; death certificates; cemetery records; obituaries; county his-

tories; wills; The History of Cincinnati and Hamilton Co., Ohio, Their Past and Present by S. B. Nelson; The Gerrard Family by Lindsay M. Brien; marriage and probate records for Butler Co., Ohio; family records of Mrs. T. Emory Patterson, Piqua, Ohio; family records of Mrs. Alfred R. Marsh, Cincinnati, Ohio; research of Mrs. Louise E. Thompson, 32117 9th Ave. South, Federal Way, WA 98003 and Mrs. Ferne E. Hamel, 6286 Bryce Canyon Ave., Las Vegas, Nevada 89110. Would be happy to share any information I have.
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Need parents, family of Alice Martin, b. ca. 1839, d. 5 July 1877, Early, Sac Co., Iowa, m. 1857 to John M. Townsend, b. 22 Oct. 1831, New York State, d. 20 March 1892, Early, Sac Co., Iowa. Lived DeKalb, Ill. 1857-1872.
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James H. Martin came through Chickasaw Co., Miss. from Ala. and settled at Helena, Phillips Co., Ark. There my g grandfather married. Henry H. Sullivan m. Laura Jane Martin, 31 March 1880. Henry's bro. had married Laura Jane Martin's sister before then. Elisha Monroe Sullivan m. Josephine Augusta Martin, 23 Dec. 1874, I think, in Chickasaw Co., Miss. Henry and Laura's first 3 children were born in Ark. and then they moved back to Chickasaw Co., Miss. and died there. Elisha and Josephine Sullivan moved to Ozark Co., Mo. about 1885; she died there 26 Feb. 1893, leaving husband and 4 children. I have been told James H. Martin had at least 2 sons, James M. and Milton Martin. I was told there was a son, Will, who was a doctor. James M. Martin lived near Old Town, Ark. ca. 1914 and had at least 3 children, Allen and Ora Lee Martin. After my great grandparents moved back to Miss. their children lost contact with all the Martins and 3 Sullivan brothers who lived in Ark. Will exchange and answer all letters.
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Looking for John and Jane Martin who came to Barren Co., KY from VA. A son, James H. Martin, b. 2 Aug. 1809, KY, d. 17 Jan. 1890, buried at Martin-Sater Cemetery, Barren Co., in the Lick Branch Community. Married Frances Rowland, b. 20 Apr. 1820, d. 17 Aug. 1882, dau. of George H. Rowland and Lucy Murphy, b. 1798. Lucy was dau. of Clement Murphy & Mary Jones who m. Henry Co., VA, 22 March 1788. Mary Jones, dau. of Ambrose Jones & Winifred. Geo. H. Rowland was son of John Rowland and Eonis Sturgeon who m. 1780, Henry Co., VA. Geo. H. Rowland & Lucy Murphy had 2 daus., Frances & Mary. Frances (1820-1882) m. James H. Martin; Mary m. Isaiah Sater. Mary & Isaiah Sater had 2 children, Lucy Kyrk (Bailey) & George H. Sater who m. his cousin, Martha Wade Martin, dau. of James H. Martin & Frances Rowland. Married 10 Jan. 1889. Geo. H. Sater and Martha Wade Martin were my grandparents.
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(From the Editor - continued from page 23) If you take the time to copy Martin estates, deeds or marriages from your home county maybe another subscriber will copy the records from the courthouse you need. If you are in a courthouse researching on another family make a photocopy of a few Martin records.